

Postmaster General Key is a Grant man.

Mr. McCrary, Secretary of war, is a Blaine man.

At La Crosse, Wis., eggs are fifteen dozen for \$1. Go West.

Mrs. Charles Dickens, the widow of the eminent novelist, was, at the last English mail advices, lying dangerously ill.

The Chicago Times says that Secretary Sherman's boom is entrusted to Murat Halstead. We thought the Gazette had become its custodian.

The New York Times holds in an editorial, that the Chinese clause in California's new Constitution places that State in direct conflict with the Federal Government.

The Philadelphia Times recently sent a correspondent to interview General Satter, and prints a lengthy account of the interview. It says he is living at Litise in comparative poverty.

The condition of Liberia demands American attention. We gave her the ideas which underlie her Government and the citizens which made her a nation, but England and France are ready to gobble both—in the way of business.

Miss Lillie Edgington, who subsequently became Mrs. Strouse and afterwards Mrs. Jones, being divorced from both in the course of modern events, was married on Monday night in Arizona, to a man named Maynard, son of a former San Francisco capitalist. The twain are supposed to be honeymooning somewhere in the neighborhood of Yuma City.

By the laws of Kansas, women stand upon an entire equality with men in regard to property. If an owner of property dies intestate, leaving a widow and children, the widow takes half in her own right, and the children the other half; or, if the wife is the owner, the husband takes half and the children half, and neither can deprive the other of such share by will. In every respect as regards trading and suing and being sued there is no difference.

RICH STRIKE IN SIERRA COUNTY.—The Downieville Messenger says there is great excitement in Sierra City and vicinity over the recent rich gravel discovery in the ridge south-east of that place. From one wheelbarrow load of gravel eight dollars was obtained. The whole country has been located, it reports be true. Many have great faith in the discovery, and believe that an immensely rich gravel deposit underlies the ridge for many miles.

A number of prominent Democrats from various parts of California met at the Cosmopolitan Hotel Wednesday in conjunction with the Executive Committee of the State Central Committee, for the purpose of discussing the propriety of calling the whole committee together for a conference upon the question of postponing the State Convention which has been called to meet at Sacramento May 27th. Many entertained the opinion that the party now being in the minority, it would best serve the party interest to wait until the other parties shall have made their nominations. After some discussion it was decided to call a meeting of the whole State Central Committee for May 29th, with a view of postponing the convention until July 4th, when the new Constitution begins to take effect.

REPUBLICAN PROSPECTS FOR 1879.—A New York reporter has interviewed Hale of Maine. He said: "I have been at home on the wing for the past two months and have seen enough to convince me that upon the issues which the which the Democrats are making the Republican party is getting into better fighting trim than it has been in for years. In Maine, in those parts where our defeat was worst in 1878, the feeling is excellent and everybody eager for the canvass to begin. We shall fight a battle in September on the proposition of a sound currency for the people and, above all, that the Government shall be kept out of the hands of men who tried to destroy it once and who are ready for any revolutionary resort to get control of it now. The President's veto of the Army bill was welcomed by every Republican with whom I have talked, and the fact that the party and the Executive and Legislative branches were pulling together has made a heartier feeling than I have known since 1872. My judgment is, that the undercurrent is much stronger for us than is generally believed. There will be a great deal of hard fighting to do, but I am a bad guesser if the end of the year does not see us dominant in all the contested States in which elections are to be held in 1879."

SOMETHING ABOUT LIBEL.

The Thompson-Powning libel suit will be argued in the Supreme Court on the 27th of this month. A jury declared that we libeled Mr. Thompson, and gave him \$1 damages. We have no idea there will be a new trial granted; if anything, we look for the judgment to be reversed, and ordered entered for the defendant. As this is the first libel suit in the history of the State, and as there are two other suits now pending, the views of the Supreme Court upon the law of libel, will be looked for with great interest by all newspaper men. While we believe in the "liberty of the press" we do not believe in it to that extent as to permit a newspaper to willfully and maliciously hold a man up to public scorn and contempt, simply because it has the power. "Liberty" does not mean "license," and there is too prone a disposition on the part of some newspapers too openly brand men who differ with them, applying to them the most infamous libelous epithets. Where a newspaper "for the public good" believes that it is best to publish a man, it is not justified in declaring that he "sold out," or that he is a "bribe-taker," or other offensive epithets, unless it is prepared to prove its assertions, or has reasonable grounds to believe such was the case. Under the law this last would only be excepted as a defense in mitigation of damages. The attack upon Senator Comins by Hoyt, of the defunct Cherry Creek Independent, was, in our opinion, an infamously libelous publication; conceived in malice and carried out in hate. Senator Comins' course as a legislator was not perhaps entirely satisfactory, but it certainly was not deserving of the scolding of the Independent. The Enterprise-Aude case, though somewhat different, is another case in point, and if ever there was a libelous article published, it was that of the Enterprise against young Aude; especially so after the jury had rendered the verdict they did. The press has a duty to perform; but it has no right to blacken the character of a public official or private citizen, without it can prove its damaging assertions, and not even then unless it can be shown to be for the public good and from the purest motives.

ARRIVALS OF GOLD MEDALS FROM PARIS.—The gold medals awarded to United States exhibitors at the recent Universal Exposition at Paris have been received by Commissioner General McCormick and will be distributed during the present week. The medals weigh three ounces each, and have upon one side a beautiful female head intended to represent the Republic of France and upon the other a figure of Peace hovering over the Exposition building. Each medal bears the name of the exhibitor to whom it was awarded, and is accompanied by a diploma with the signatures of the Ministers of Agriculture and Commerce and the French Commissioner General, designating the group and class in which the award was made. The medals are 126 in number, and there are twenty-three diplomas of honor, which are considered equal to gold medals, and were chiefly given for exhibits made by the Government or by public institutions. Of these three are for the Bureau of Education, two for the Department of Agriculture and one for the city of Washington, in recognition of the excellent display of educational material made by direction of the Public School Board. The Commissioner General has not yet been advised when the silver and bronze medals will reach this country.

SAGEBRUSH LEAVES.—This is the title of the forthcoming book by Harry Mighels of the Carson Appeal. It will be filled with his literary odds and ends, and consists of 360 pages, bound in cloth, and will be ready for delivery on or before the first of July next. The price of the book, to be issued to subscribers only, will be three dollars. The "copy" is all in the hands of the publishers, and the contents, including sundry spicy letters from Lake Tahoe, San Francisco and elsewhere, will consist of the following:

Notes and Queries—More Notes and Queries Learning to Smoke—The Little Men—The Confessions of a Bibliomaniac—Plates, Milliners and Boys—Somewhat Owlsh—Gleanings—Dates and Mar's Milk—A Chapter on Canes, Etc.—Tom Thumb, Etc.—Something Critical—Random Shots, Scraps—Finding Money in the Ashes—Our Good Talkers of the Far West—Blue Monday—Man as a Barometer.

The United States Court at Cincinnati has decided that the insurance on the Minneapolis Mills, that blew up last year, must be paid. The defense was that the destruction was not a natural event.

All of Whitelaw Reid's boys found homes as soon as they reached their destination. This care for friendless and homeless boys is genuine benevolence.

TELEGRAPHIC SPARKS!

Ex-Minister Schenck is getting better. Another Panama rebellion has been squelched.

The U. S. Minister at Samoa is said to be crooked.

England proposes to help the Canada Pacific Railroad scheme.

One English firm wants \$30,000,000 worth of the U. S. 4 per cent. bonds.

The Bolivia-Peru-Chili war is being vigorously waged, with varied success.

The Chileans have captured the cable between Peru and Europe and stopped communication.

At the annual meeting of the Scorpion shareholders the old Board of Directors were re-elected.

The Democrats will pass the appropriation bills without riders, and Congress will shortly adjourn.

By a runaway in Eureka, Tom Robinson was thrown from a wagon and killed; Jay had a leg broken and Gallagher was badly bruised.

The Daily Telegraph says General Gourko has imposed upon St. Petersburg a state of seige which instituted in Warsaw eighteen years ago—a state of seige of the barbarous old Russian pattern, by which a town is converted into a gigantic jail and its inhabitants are compelled to play the spy upon one another.

Senator Vest will introduce a bill for the organization of Indian Territory, or Oklahoma, as a State, and for its admission into the Union.

POLAR EXPEDITIONS THIS SEASON.

[From the Rochester (N. Y.) Democrat, May 6.] Several expeditions will start for the North this season in search of Dr. Nordenskjold, of the Swedish polar expedition. The ship Lena left the explorer, with the small steamer Vega, at the mouth of the river, Northern Siberia, on the 27th of August. The explorer hoped to reach Behring Strait in a short time, so a dispatch might be sent to Sweden, from Japan. Seven and a half months have passed, but no tidings of the explorer have reached civilization. If the expedition is not lost the Professor is expected to make his way out of the ice, when it breaks up. His situation is so uncertain, however, that a number of expeditions will set out to render aid as soon as possible. The Russian Government has ordered the Governor of East Siberia to despatch an expedition to the North overland. There is no light work and will probably fail. The Jeannette, formerly the Pandora, is expected to sail from San Francisco shortly, taking a course which will aid Dr. Nordenskjold if he and his crew are still alive. It is the intention to secure dogs in Alaska and proceed immediately to the North. Another expedition, under command of Captain Seungstake, will also be despatched to the North. This expedition has been equipped by M. Sibirskoff, and is provided with a powerful iron screw steamer. The sad loss of Sir John Franklin made such a deep impression that every effort will be made to render assistance to the belated explorers in good time.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE.—The Truckee Republican says:

Steve Green, who was blown through the snowsheds on the second day of January by the explosion of engine No. 17 in the snowsheds, has returned from the hospital. Green was standing between the tender and the engine when the explosion occurred. He was thrown forward at least fifty feet, and was hurled upward through the top of the snowshed. The roof of the shed just a second previous had raised up bodily into the air, and landed three hundred feet down the precipitous mountain side. Green struck the ground on the verge of the precipice. When he recovered consciousness his first thought was that the sheds had fallen upon the engine, and in endeavoring to escape the supposed danger, he almost fell over the cliff. The leg of his pantaloons were blown to fragments, both legs were badly scalded, his coat was blown from his back and turned inside out, his face was cut above and below the left eye, and he received internal injuries that would have killed an ordinary man. He is alive to-day, however, and is ready to report for duty upon the railroad.

Richards, who was hanged at Minden, Nebraska, recently, after confessing that he had murdered six persons—among them a sleeping woman and her three children—asked the crowd to unite with him in singing the familiar hymn commencing, "There is a fountain filled with blood." An exchange well says that, of all travesties on religion which often make scaffold scenes so repulsive, this appears to be the most horrible. Richards expressed no remorse nor contrition for his crimes, but thought he should go to heaven.

Bob Hamilton, a stage robber sent from Pioche a couple of years ago for a term of fourteen years, has been acting insane and making himself obnoxious of late by viciously striking his fellow prisoners with his fist whenever he sees a good chance. Twice recently he has made desperate attacks upon Captain Gonnard, of the prison guard, and has now to be kept in a place where he can do no harm, and where he will be kept until his sanity or insanity is ascertained.

Joe Coburn, the once famous pugilist, remains in the State Prison at Auburn, New York, where he was sent for twenty-one years for shooting a policeman who attempted to arrest him. Joseph is tired of staying there and wants to be discharged.

This is an advertisement from the Elko Independent: S. M. Pollard the great "What is It," or the "Female Husband," will lecture at Granger Hall, Wednesday, May 13.

THE FIRST SLAVE CASE IN ENGLAND.

A planter brought to London a slave called James Somerset, in 1772, and when he fell ill, inhumanly turned him out of doors. Mr. Granville Sharp, a philanthropic barrister, found him in the street, placed him in a hospital, where he recovered his health, and then got a situation as servant. Two years after his old master arrested and imprisoned him as a runaway slave. Mr. Sharp brought the case before the Lord Mayor, who ordered Somerset to be set at liberty. But the master seized him violently in the presence of the Lord Mayor and Mr. Sharp, on which the latter brought an action against the master for assault. The question of law was finally referred to the twelve judges, in February and May of that year, who decided unanimously that no man can be counted a slave on English territory. This decision is often quoted, as though the soil of Great Britain made a slave free; but that is a legal fiction. Evidently, it is only when a slave (so-called) comes within the reach of an English court that his freedom is declared. At that time the American colonies were beginning their quarrel with Great Britain, but had not renounced allegiance. All the colonies were subject to the common law of England; and if Virginia and Jamaica there had been a judge as upright and able as Judge Mansfield and a philanthropist as zealous as Granville Sharp, it would seem that slavery might have been dissolved by a few judicial trials.—[Fraser's Magazine.]

THE VALUE OF MONEY.

Ask of each ringing dollar in this world its history—how it came into life. Some of them will tell you they represent the tears of a widow, the bartered honor of a man, the jobbery of a ring, and the thousands of other stories which you would be told, I need not relate. Benjamin Franklin said the road to wealth was as plain as the road to market. Yes, it is the good, old-fashioned road of honest toil. We sometimes say that the day of miracles is passed. There is one miracle still existing, the miraculous result of hard labor that is accomplished by the dripping sweat of the brow. The value of money is not what it buys, but what it costs. Some men's money costs them too much; other's too little. A man who makes his money at the expense of his health and his honor, pays too much; he who gets it by lucky hits, pays too little. If he pay too little he cheats mankind. The golden mean between these two extremes was well expressed in the prayer of Agar, who said:

"Give me neither poverty nor riches." If a man would bring Arcadia, let him abolish poverty and wealth. But Arcadia will never come.

LADIES AT AUCTION.

Not long ago at a church sociable in Racine, Wisconsin, the managers hit upon the rather fascinating scheme of raising money by putting the ladies up at auction and selling them to the highest bidder for cash. Some of the young ladies brought fancy prices, and the receipts swelled the church treasury almost to bursting, and there was great excitement among the bulls and bears of the market. But the plan has entailed an infinite amount of ill-feeling in that community. One gentleman's wife, a really charming and interesting woman—what the voluble auctioneer declared was "a most desirable piece of goods, though not divisible so as to suit purchasers"—was knocked down at a insignificant sum of twenty-five cents; whereas the jealous husband got mad at this slight put upon his wife's charms, and swore "like the army in Flanders" at the church and all connected therewith. The friends of the family have taken sides with them, and the rupture threatens to be a serious one for that church. The indignant husband asks, "How would you like to have your wife sold for two shillings?" Perhaps it would be well enough to remind the gentleman that specie payments have been resumed and that the prices of all commodities have struck bed-rock.

When we read of a man forsaking wife and children, our first thought is of the superlative meanness of the fellow; but second thoughts show how much wiser he is than we are. He certainly could do no more noble and generous act than relieve his family of such a burden of cursedness.

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YESTERDAY'S STOCK REPORT.

Morning Board.

880 Ophir, 35 1/4 38 1/4
323 Nevada, 31 1/4 32 3/4
360 G. & C., 8 1/4 8 1/4
283 B. & B., 1 1/4 1 1/4
115 California, 7 1/4 7 1/4
158 Savage, 11 1/4 11 1/4
133 Con Virginia, 6 1/4 6 1/4
180 Chollar, 5 1/4 5 1/4
133 Potosi, 3 1/4 3 1/4
165 H. & N., 12 1/4 12 1/4
330 Point, 4 1/4 4 1/4
270 Jack, 1 1/4 1 1/4
500 Imperial, 1 1/2 1 1/2
60 Kentucky, 4 1/4 4 1/4
130 Alpha, 1 1/4 1 1/4
329 Belcher, 5 1/4 5 1/4
245 Confidence, 12 1/4 12 1/4
60 Sierra Nevada, 4 1/4 4 1/4
65 Utah, 13 1/4 13 1/4
650 Bullion, 4 1/4 4 1/4
330 Exchange, 4 1/4 4 1/4
230 Justice, 3 1/4 3 1/4
1050 Success, 40 45 50
305 Union, 69 68 1/4 68 1/4
260 Alta, 6 1/4 6 1/4
630 L. Bryan, 45 50
320 Julia, 3 1/4 3 1/4
220 California, 1 1/2 1 1/2
500 S. Hill, 1 1/4 1 1/4
20 Challenge, 2 1/4 2 1/4
900 New York, 60 55
130 Sheridan, 4 1/4 4 1/4
330 T. Washington, 1 1/4 1 1/4
250 Andes, 20 25
170 Overman, 7 1/4 7 1/4
330 Ward, 95 1 1/4
435 Scorpion, 2 1/4 2 1/4
100 Levee, 5 1/4 5 1/4
40 N. Con Va., 10 1/4 10 1/4
100 Trojan, 25 1/4 25 1/4
170 Benton, 4 1/4 4 1/4
750 Flowery, 70 75
130 N. Bonanza, 1 1/4 1 1/4
235 Mackay, 1 1/4 1 1/4
50 M. View, 5 1/4 5 1/4

Afternoon Board.

30 R. & E., 3 1/4 3 1/4
110 Butte Con, 17 1/4 18 1/4
100 Leopard, 1 1/4 1 1/4
180 Manhattan, 2 1/4 2 1/4
50 Hussey, 20 1/4 20 1/4
930 Argenta, 1 1/4 1 1/4
40 Navajo, 40 1/4 40 1/4
400 Star, 45 1/4 45 1/4
500 Independence, 2 1/4 2 1/4
100 Tuscarora, 10 1/4 10 1/4
600 B. Isid., 40 1/4 40 1/4
180 Day, 65 70
600 Humboldt, 50 1/4 50 1/4
300 Arizon, 31 1/4 31 1/4
385 Bode, 11 1/4 11 1/4
100 Bechtel, 90 95
300 McIntosh, 70 1/4 70 1/4
230 Cuba, 24 1/4 24 1/4
150 Summit, 1 1/4 1 1/4
170 Bulwer, 11 1/4 10 1/4 10 1/4
930 Oriental, 1 1/4 1 1/4
855 Belvidere, 75 80 85 90
300 Black Hawk, 1 1/4 1 1/4
500 S. Bode, 33 1/4 33 1/4
270 Hooker, 45 50
600 Mono, 32 1/4 32 1/4
500 Con Pacific, 2 1/4 2 1/4
200 Jupiter, 40 50
650 S. Bulwer, 40 50
150 Noondy, 2 1/4 2 1/4
1100 Vortex, 70 65 60
200 Lewis, 70 1/4 70 1/4
130 Tip Top, 85 75
130 S. King, 5 1/4 5 1/4
400 Colorado (B. H.), 3 1/4 3 1/4
100 Old Abe, 6 1/4 6 1/4

Handy Recipe.

Ed. Spears says he knows how to take tar and feathers off without trouble. As it may be of value to a number in this community, who would desire to avoid Jones' scrubbing experience, we give it. Spears says he rubbed coal oil all over the affected parts and then put hot water over it, when the coating came off in large gobs. Paste this in your hat.

Letters Detained.

The following letters are held for postage in the Reno office: Mrs. Emma Tratman, Wasatch county Utah; Mr. B. F. Gowen, 819 1/2 Howard street, San Francisco, Cal. A letter addressed to A. B. Hoffman is also held, for lack of proper directions.

More Scarlet Fever.

Mr. Denning's two children, are down with the scarlet fever. We had hoped this disease had had its run hereabouts, but the new cases reported would seem to lead one to believe that it has taken a new lease of life.

Another Hotel.

Kleser & Scott will soon start work upon their new hotel. It will cover the old International lot, two stories in height.

The Stevenson regiment arrived in California in 1846, and not in 1848, as stated by the Gazette. It disbanded before California was admitted into the Union. So if C. A. Simmons came with the Stevenson regiment he came in 1846.

We are indebted to Mrs. O. R. Leonard, President of the Ladies' Union, for a complimentary ticket to a strawberry festival to be given for the benefit of the Carson Temperance Union at the Carson Opera House.

Lu Soon and Chung Ah Tick, the two Chinamen convicted of assault and battery Wednesday, came up with their fines yesterday and were discharged.

The water will be shut off to-day, but there will be plenty for home use, if it is not used for irrigating. This warning should be heeded.

Luchman & Meyer have provided a card and smoking room in the rear end of their store. A very pleasant place to enjoy a cigar.

The new furnace workings is the talk among our experts, and those who have plenty of ore which, if it can be worked cheaply, will make them millionaires.

A car load of Reno ore will be sent to Sacramento in a few days, to be worked by the new furnace there.

Mr. H. H. Beck will address the Reno Temperance Reform Club to-morrow night.

The Virginia City public schools picnic to-morrow at Bower's Mansion.

Frank Jaynes is going to Bodie to locate.

THE P. R.

The Fan Spoiled by Constable Avery.

Reno is happy. We have had almost everything, and yesterday's proceedings capped the climax, and that was a prize fight for \$8. A lot of Sacramento toughs have arrived here within the past few days, and the match was made up by them. The fight took place in Hatch's field, at about half past one, and about 40 men and women, and ten or fifteen children congregated to see the brutal exhibition. Even the V. & T. freight train boys stopped to see it. Constable Avery saw squads passing over the V. & T. R. R. bridge, and suspecting that something was wrong, got an idea of what was in the wind. He rushed to the scene, but before he got there, the crowd saw him and dispersed helter-skelter, but the principals were pretty badly worn out, and Avery secured them and the seconds and also the stakeholder; though he had to take a run down below the Poor Farm to catch one of the seconds.

THE FIGHT.

Both men were game and the fight was for blood. They were stripped to the waist, and fought six or seven rounds. Both were badly bruised about the face, the smaller of the two being knocked down five times in succession.

ARRESTS.

Sheriff Walker and Avery subsequently arrested three others interested in the fight. All told, eight arrests were made, as follows: Chas. Wells, J. Williams, D. Collins, Billy Russell, Jack Jones, Jack Brown, Joe King, Robt. Brenton.

THE TRIAL.

These cases will be called in the Police Court at 9 o'clock this morning, and Judge Bowker will have a crowded house.

Bright Outlook.

For many years our mining men have been prospecting all around in this vicinity and have found a large number of good ledges, which unfortunately are so base that all known processes have failed to work profitably. So while they knew they had good mines they were useless and a source of expense. The country north of Reno has been alive with prospectors and several valuable properties, notably the Con. Esmeralda, Pleasant View and Loomis, have been discovered. The owners of these mines are for the most part poor men and can ill afford to stand the heavy expense of sinking and developing and erecting mills. To these the Robertson Furnace seems as an Aladdin's lamp, which is to enable them to develop thoroughly and at the same time have a revenue. Yesterday's tests made by Mr. Tredway, with the crude little model, have still further encouraged them, for the most flattering results have been obtained from any and all base metals presented. One of the prominent companies here offered him 500 shares of unassessable stock, and another fifty feet, as a bonus to build a large furnace here. Of course it will be built, and that shortly, for so good a thing as this will not be allowed to lie idle. Our mining men already see their way out of the financial embarrassments that encompassed them and now look forward to the time when they will be well-to-do. Washoe county will soon make her mineral wealth be known.

Miss Eva Selby is improving.

The Arcade is being plastered.

The Democratic Senators who propose reopening the question of Senator Kellogg's seat do not intend, they say, to recognize the claim of Mr. Spofford to the point to be determined will be simply whether Mr. Kellogg is entitled to the seat or not. Mr. Spofford will be regarded as standing in the position of a petitioner or memorialist. He was at best only a minority candidate in the election which resulted in Mr. Kellogg's favor, and Congress has adopted the rule of English elections not to seat a minority candidate in the place of a majority candidate when the latter is for any reason ousted or declared ineligible.

A twenty-year-old will, covering nearly a quarter of a million dollars' worth of property, has just come to light in Washington, and the customary complications are promised. Why will rich men persist in hiding wills, or making odd ones, and in every other way act contrary to business principles in devising their property?

About thirty Chinese left Carson on the train Tuesday night, bound for the Sandwich Islands, where they will work on sugar plantations. They were all coolies, and the debasing bondage in which they are kept was clearly discernable in every movement.

There seems to be some prospect that a Washington monument will be erected in Philadelphia within a year or two. The Society of the Cincinnati of that city now have \$120,000 in their possession for that purpose, and intend to take action shortly.

In speaking of the Brazilian gold production, the N. Y. Mining Record says: "As early as during the last five or six years of the seventeenth century, gold was found in the streams of the interior of Brazil. Early in the eighteenth century the highlands, thereafter known as the Minas Geraes, proved to be rich in gold and became a great mining center. From the early discoveries the metal known to the present day, it is estimated that the product of gold extracted from Brazil, has amounted in round numbers to two millions of pounds troy, for the most part fluvial gold. The larger part of gravel washing was done in Brazil between 1695 and 1825."

Carthage was twenty-three miles in circumference, and was surrounded by a triple wall with interior casemates. In these casemates were sheltered 20,000 infantry soldiers, 500 horses and 300 elephants.

The popular song of the day, as sung by the polygs, is given by the Salt Lake Tribune:

We feel like hel—
We feel like hel—
We feel like hel—
ping our endowment friends.

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